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Hoover's Hope for Laborers Cut Waste, Raise Pay, Advice

COMMERCE SECRETARY HOOVER, referring in a recent speech to the growth of interest by labor in its responsibility for the functioning of the whole economic machine, declared that the fund from which labor must expect the maintenance of present wages or an increase in real wages lies in more efficient production and the elimination of waste.

"What I am referring to is the type of waste in industry which arises from bad co-ordination of industry as a whole," said Hoover.

In discussing the relationship of labor to the problem of better co-ordination to eliminate waste, Mr. Hoover said labor deserved to participate in the gains made as the result of the elimination of waste, and he felt that from the savings made in this way labor would have to expect the maintenance of present wages and the advance in wages.

"The savings we can make through the amplification of invention, through increase in skill, through elimination of collective wastes, is bound to be divided over the consumer," he said. "It should be divided over labor to secure service and contentment, and as a matter of fact it will be divided over capital because capital comes cheaper with increasing security."

"If we would examine our utilities, many of our older and larger manufacturing concerns, from this point of view, we would find that an astonishing proportion of our national production and service is now operating in various degrees under this regime of a new conception of capital, management, labor, and the consumer."

"Intelligent Self-Interest"

"Of those concerns which we commonly refer to as 'big business' I would not be surprised to find a considerable majority now evolving into this field. Thirty years ago we would not have believed this possible. Nor are these tendencies based upon any abandonment of self-interest as a motive power in production. Just a little more intelligent self-interest, with perhaps a little larger proportion of that salt of altruism found in the impulse to personal accomplishment and in responsibility to widespread numbers—and to public opinion."

"He would be a rash man who would state that we are finally entering the industrial millennium, but there is here a great ray of hope that America is finding herself in a solution of the greatest of all her problems; that is, a method by which social satisfaction is to be attained with the preservation of private industry, of initiative and full development of the individual. It is idle to argue that there are at times no conflicts of interest between the employee and the employer. But there are wide areas of activity in which their interests should coincide, and it is the part of statesmanship on both sides to organize this identity of interests in order to limit the area of conflict. There is an identity of interest in the elimination of industrial waste. In all this setting it has become far more possible to deal with the problem of waste elimination than ever before in our history, for co-operative action is easier to summon today than ever before and more certain of action. To deal with waste by such action is to strengthen these very foundations of a better relationship between employer and employe."

"Labor can play a large part in these questions. Nor is labor's part that of distasteful speeding up to the ultimate production of nervous human wrecks. It lies in the study of where the major wastes of industry lie in relation to labor, where labor can play its part in the field of identity of interest; not in the field of reduced wages or longer hours, but in the multiple directions of constructive action, decreased unemployment, decreased intermittent and seasonal employment, final extinction of individual restraint of effort, actual helpfulness in better method and broad policies, and thereby increased productivity. And labor has a right to insist upon its part of these savings."

To the Fringed Gentian

By WILLIAM CULLEN BRYANT

Thou blossom bright with autumn dew, And colored with the heavens' own blue, That openest, when the quiet light Succeeds the keen and frosty night.

Thou comest not when violets lean O'er wandering brooks and springs unseen, Or columbines, in purple dressed, Nod o'er the ground-bird's hidden nest.

Thou waitest late, and comest alone, When woods are bare and birds are flown, And frosts and shortening days portend The aged year is near his end.

Then doth thy sweet and quiet eye Look through its fringes to the sky, Blue—blue—as if that sky let fall A flower from its cerulean wall.

I would that thus, when I shall see The hour of death draw near to me, Hope, blossoming within my heart, May look to heaven as I depart.

AFFAIRS of the HEART

By Mrs. Thompson

What attitude should a wife take toward her husband's little tributes to the memory of his dead former wife? This is the question asked me in the following letter:

Dear Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson: When a wife dies and the man marries again, whose place is it to keep up the grave?—his, or her relatives? My husband goes often to the grave of his first wife, and is always taking flowers there. I'm not jealous, but there's something that comes over me that I cannot describe whenever we go out to the cemetery. (He asks me to go with him.) I seem to be living in the same house with a ghost. I'm only 29 years old and I know I have lots to learn, so that's why I'm asking you. I don't want to seem "bull-headed" to my husband or his folks, yet I can't ever overcome that feeling when we visit the cemetery. He's 30 years old and very good old man. Somehow, I think it's not his place to take care of the grave now that he's married again. Please come right out and tell me what you think of my attitude. F. K.

I think it is admirable of your husband, who evidently loves you, to remember his first wife in this manner. I don't think you have a right to complain as long as he does not refer to her too much in your home, but I don't think he should ask you to go with him every time he visits the grave. Use tact, and contrive to get him to go alone by making logical little excuses for staying away. But do not offend him about it.

M. L.: The two cents was not received. Consult a physician about the trouble. Perhaps a course of exercises and changes in your diet will remedy the condition.

PROPOSES SECRET MARRIAGE

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a high school girl. I have been engaged to a young man for some time. He is returning soon, after a stay in my town of several months, to his work in another state. I live with my grandfather and step-grandmother, and she and her daughters treat me cruelly. They put most of the work on me all of the time. This man knows what sort of conditions I am in, and has objected to my grandfather against this cruel treatment of me, but it did no good. He wanted me to go back with him, and I wanted to go, but I decided it would be better for me to stay and finish high school, from which I will graduate in June. Then he asked me to marry him secretly and join him later. I have been undecided about it, and I wish you'd tell me what I ought to do, since you don't favor secret marriages. LAURA.

Wait until June, Laura, such a little while away. There is always unpleasant conjecture and speculation concerning any secret marriage. Don't expose yourself to it, no matter how unjust it might be.

"Why shouldn't women be selfish with more you take from them the better they like you," a selfish woman writes me. I have no sympathy with her views:

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am selfish, and I know it. But why shouldn't women be selfish with men? The more you take from them the better they like you. I am married and have two children. I make my husband work hard for the luxuries I want and you can't make him look at another woman. I go out with a married man and he showers me with the good things of life because I demand them. He neglects his own wife because she stands for it. Why am I not entitled to the good things if I am willing to go after them? When I go out I demand that he calls for me and takes me in his machine. If his wife goes to town she goes in the street car. Whose fault is it? Isn't it her own? I am not bad, but I do get a lot out of life because I take it. My neighbors, like this woman, slaves for husbands who don't appreciate them and they don't have any fun at all. The other day this man got into trouble over something I asked him to do and because I let him pay for it all by himself my friend says I am cruel to him. Why shouldn't he have to pay and who should share in his trouble? I don't want hardship and trouble so why should I take it if I don't have to? I felt sorry for him, but just the same I wasn't going to stand by and help him out, because then I too would have to suffer. Look at all the poor fools of women who write to you who scrub floors and wash clothes for their families while their husbands go out with the girls who want fun and get it. Tell them for me that the only way they will ever get anything out of life is to take it. E. J.

I hope E. J.'s husband is a reader of this column; I would like to hear from him.

LONELY SISTERS: Parents are not organized in a huge conspiracy to prevent the children from being happy, so rid yourself of the idea that they are acting selfishly. Do not go out so much, and entertain your friends in your own home occasionally. A mother has a right to question her daughters when they go out continually with persons who never visit them in their own home.

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---NEXT THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY---

OPEKO COFFEE: A blend of high-grade coffee of exceptional flavor, roasted and packed by the latest machinery. DURING OUR 1c SALE WE WILL OFFER 2 LB. PACKAGES AT VIRTUALLY HALF PRICE.

Liggett's Opeko Tea: 200 Cups of Tea for 1c. Ceylon India (Black) Basket Fined (Green). During our 1c Sale we will offer Two 1/2-lb. packages at virtually half price.

Puretest Rubbing Alcohol: 8 Ounces. Unsurpassed for relieving soreness, lameness, stiffness, bruises and sprains. Relieves Headaches. Ideal for men after shaving. Standard Price One Bottle 40c This Sale Two Bottles 41c

WHAT IS A ONE-CENT SALE?

It is a sale where you buy an item at the regular price—then another item of the same kind for 1 cent. As an illustration: The Standard price of Jonteel Vanishing Cream is 50c. You buy a jar at this price and by paying 1 cent more, or 51c, you get two jars.

Every article in this sale is a high-class standard piece of merchandise, just the same as we sell you every day at regular prices. This sale was developed by the United Drug Co., as an advertising plan. Rather than spend large sums of money in other ways to convince you of the merit of these goods, they are spending it on this sale in permitting us to sell you a full-size package of high standard merchandise for 1 cent. It costs money to get customers. The investment in this sale will be well spent if the goods please you.

SAVE MONEY

BOQUET RAMEE FACE POWDER: An exceptionally high-grade complexion powder. Adheres to the skin. Contains a bouquet of rose, jasmine, heliotrope and lilac odors. Comes in three tints. Standard Price One Box \$1.00 This Sale Two Boxes \$1.01

GEORGIA ROSE TALC: Is made from genuine imported talc. Delightfully perfumed with attar of roses. For all toilet uses. Great for men after shaving. Standard Price One Can 25c Two Cans 26c

Rose Dawn Assorted Chocolates: A delicious assortment of chocolates in a beautiful box. Standard Price One Box \$1.00 This Sale Two Boxes \$1.01

Puretest Epsom Salt: Is absolutely free from impurities and is easy to take. One 4-oz. Package 10c Two 4-oz. Packages 11c One 16-oz. Package 25c Two 16-oz. Packages 26c

Jonteel Vanishing Cream: Keeps the skin soft, white and beautiful. An ideal face powder base. Perfumed with the wonderful Jonteel odor. Standard Price One Jar 50c This Sale Two Jars 51c

JONTEEL COLD CREAM: One Jar 50c Two Jars 51c

Georgia Rose Toilet Water: A true reproduction of the fresh flowers. Comes in a beautifully designed frosted glass bottle. Sprinkler top. Standard Price One Bottle \$1.00 This Sale Two Bottles \$1.01

Klenzo Liquid Antiseptic: Wonderful for combating germs in the mouth, nose and throat. Standard Price One Bottle 50c This Sale Two Bottles 51c

Klenzo Dental Creme: Cleans and whitens the teeth. Gives the mouth a clean feeling. Standard Price One Tube 25c This Sale Two Tubes 26c

Lord Baltimore Stationery: An excellent grade of writing paper. Gives "tone" to your correspondence. 24 sheets of paper, 24 envelopes. Standard Price One Box 50c This Sale Two Boxes 51c

Rose Dawn Assorted Chocolates: A delicious assortment of chocolates in a beautiful box. Standard Price One Box \$1.00 This Sale Two Boxes \$1.01

Bay Rum: Is made from the finest distilled Oil of Bay. Full strength and highest quality. Soft and smooth with its sweet fragrance. Ideal for men after shaving. Standard Price One Bottle 50c Two Bottles 51c

Firstaid Z. O. Adhesive Plaster: Highest quality medicated plaster that cannot irritate the skin. In addition, it has thousands of uses in the workroom, office or home. 1 roll, 1 in. x 1 yard, 15c Two Rolls 16c 1 roll, 1 in. x 5 yards, 40c Two Rolls 41c

Effervescent Sodium Phosphate: An efficient liver laxative. Briskly effervescent. More pleasant to take than plain soda phosphate. Convenient dose cup on every bottle. Every medicine cabinet should contain this product. Standard Price One Bottle 50c Two Bottles 51c

Cadet Assorted Wrapped Caramels: These caramels are a full cream caramel. Highest quality throughout. Four assorted flavors—Vanilla, Nougat Chocolate and Chocolate Nougat. Standard Price One Pound 60c This Sale Two Pounds 61c

Arabesque Stationery: Fancy finish paper of the highest quality, resembling Japanese bamboo cloth, white and tints, ribbon-tied with deckle borders. 24 sheets of paper. 24 envelopes. Std. Price 1 box \$1.00 This Sale 2 boxes \$1.01

Maximum Hot Water Bottle: A high quality bottle. Molded all in one piece. Guaranteed for one year. Standard Price One Bottle \$2.00 This Sale Two Bottles \$2.01

Klenzo Dental Creme: Cleans and whitens the teeth. Gives the mouth a clean feeling. Standard Price One Tube 25c This Sale Two Tubes 26c

Riker's Peptona: Is our best Tonic for enriching the blood, building strength, and improving the health generally. Palatable. Standard Price One Bottle \$1.00 This Sale Two Bottles \$1.01

Boquet Ramee Talc: It is made from pure Italian Talc and is fine, soft and smooth. Perfumed with a fascinating Oriental odor. Standard Price One Can 50c Two Cans 51c

Harmony Cream of Almonds: It keeps the skin smooth, soft and white—makes the complexion fresh and fair. It is unexcelled for windburn and roughness of the skin. Men will find this preparation very soothing after shaving. Standard Price One Bottle 35c Two Bottles 36c

Harmony Shaving Cream: Produces a thick, creamy lather. Will stand up on your face throughout the shave. Std. Price One Tube 30c This Sale Two Tubes 31c

Puretest No. 6 Disinfectant: Kills germs like sunlight where sunlight cannot reach. Safe and powerful. Unsurpassed as a dip for livestock. Standard Price One 16-oz. Bottle 50c This Sale Two 16-oz. Bottles 51c

Cascade Linen: One pound in a package. A good quality of writing paper and always in the best of taste. Standard Price One 5-oz. Bottle 25c This Sale Two 5-oz. Bottles 26c

Puretest Aspirin Tablets: Promptly relieve pain, headaches, colds, neuralgia pains. Made from true Aspirin. Standard Price One Box of 12 15c This Sale—2 boxes 16c

Harmony Cocoa Butter Cold Cream: A real tissue builder and skin beautifier. Composed of very rich, nourishing oils. Standard Price One Jar 50c This Sale Two Jars 51c

Quality Tooth Brushes: For adults and children. Assorted styles. Good quality white bristles. Std. Price 25c This Sale Two for 26c

Pure Food Products: The Food Specials offered in connection with our 1c Sale represent big savings and we quote them because of their values. Symond's Inn Vanilla Ext., 2 for 55c; Symond's Inn Cocoa, 1/2 lb., 2 for 26c; Imitation Vanilla Ext., 2 oz., 2 for 26c; Symond's Inn Lemon Ext., 2 for 41c; Symond's Inn Bk. Choc., 1/2-lb., 2 for 26c; Assorted Spices, 2 for 26c; Symond's Inn Beef Cbs., 12s 2 for 31c; Orange Marmalade, 12 oz., 2 for 46c; Olive Oil, 12 1/2 oz., 2 for \$1.19; Strawberry Jam, 15 oz., 2 for 49c; Raspberry Jam, 15 oz., 2 for 49c; Pure Grape Jam, 15 oz., 2 for 49c; Pure Grape Jelly, 10 oz., 2 for 36c

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Puretest Mineral Oil: Russian Type, 16 oz. An absolutely pure liquid petroleum. Tasteless and colorless. An effective Laxative. Pleasant to take. Standard Price One Bottle \$1.00 This Sale Two Bottles \$1.01

Rexall Eyelo: For reducing redness and inflammation of the mucous membrane of the eye. Standard Price One Bottle 50c This Sale Two Bottles 51c

LIGGETT'S MILK CHOCOLATE BAR: Finest sweet milk chocolate. A food as well as a confection. Molded in small squares for easy eating. Standard Price One Bar 35c This Sale Two Bars 36c

Symond's Inn Cocoa: Delicious for growing children and convalescents. Strong in Food Value. Standard Price One Can 25c This Sale Two Cans 26c

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